## **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

1. (Previously Presented) A compound according to formula (I):

wherein:

A is C(O) or CH(OH);

R<sup>1</sup> is

$$R^4$$
 $R^7$ 
 $R^7$ 
 $R^8$ 
 $R^8$ 

 $R^2$  is H,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, R<sup>5</sup>C(O)-, R<sup>5</sup>C(S)-, R<sup>5</sup>SO<sub>2</sub>-, R<sup>5</sup>OC(O)-, R<sup>5</sup>R'NC(O)-, R<sup>5</sup>R'NC(S)-, adamantyl-C(O)-, or

$$R^7 \longrightarrow R^6 \times Z \longrightarrow R^3$$

R" is H,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, or Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl; R" is H,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, or Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl;

each  $R^3$  independently is H, C<sub>2-6</sub>alkenyl, C<sub>2-6</sub>alkynyl, Het, Ar or C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl optionally substituted by OR', SR', NR'<sub>2</sub>, R'NC(O)OR<sup>5</sup>, CO<sub>2</sub>R', CO<sub>2</sub>NR'<sub>2</sub>, N(C=NH)NH<sub>2</sub>, Het or Ar;

 $R^4$  is H, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, C<sub>3-6</sub>cycloalkyl-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl, Ar-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl, Het-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl, R<sup>5</sup>C(O)-, R<sup>5</sup>C(S)-, R<sup>5</sup>SO<sub>2</sub>-, R<sup>5</sup>OC(O)-, R<sup>5</sup>R'NC(S)-,

R'HNCH(R')C(O)-, or  $R^5OC(O)NR'CH(R')C(O)$ -;

each  $R^5$  independently is  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkoxy, Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkoxy, or  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl;

 $R^6$  is H,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, or Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl; and  $R^7$  is H,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl,  $R^5C(O)$ -,  $R^5C(S)$ -,  $R^5SO_2$ -,  $R^5OC(O)$ -,  $R^5R'NC(O)$ -,  $R^5R'NC(S)$ -, R'HNCH(R')C(O)-, or  $R^5OC(O)NR'CH(R')C(O)$ -; or

 ${\rm R}^6$  and  ${\rm R}^7$  are connected to form a pyrrolidine, a piperidine, or a morpholine ring;

each R' independently is H, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, Ar-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl, or Het-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl; or phenyl or naphthyl substituted by one to three moieties selected from C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, OR', N(R')<sub>2</sub>, SR', CF<sub>3</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, CN, CO<sub>2</sub>R', CON(R'), F, Cl, Br and I, or substituted by a methylenedioxy group.;

 $R^*$  is H,  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, or Het- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl;

Y is a single bond or O; each Z independently is CO or CH<sub>2</sub>; and n is 0, 1, or 2;

wherein each Ar is independently unsubstituted phenyl or naphthyl; or phenyl or naphthyl substituted by one or more of Ph-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl, Het-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkoxy, Ph-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkoxy, Het-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkoxy, OH,  $(CH_2)_{1-6}NR'R'$ , O(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>1-6</sub>NR'R'; wherein each R' independently is as defined above;

wherein each Het is independently a stable 5- to 7-membered monocyclic or a stable 7- to 10-membered bicyclic heterocyclic ring, which is saturated or unsaturated, and which consists of carbon atoms and from one to four heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein the nitrogen and sulfur heteroatoms may optionally be oxidized, and the nitrogen heteroatom may optionally be quaternized, and including any bicyclic group in which any of the above-defined heterocyclic rings is fused to a benzene ring, and may optionally be substituted with one or two moieties selected from C1-4alkyl, OR', N(R')<sub>2</sub>, SR', CF<sub>3</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, CN, CO<sub>2</sub>R', CON(R'), F, Cl, Br and I; wherein each R' independently is as defined above; and

wherein each Het may optionally be selected from the group consisting of piperidinyl, piperazinyl, 2-oxopiperazinyl, 2-oxopiperidinyl, 2-oxopyrrolodinyl, 2-oxoazepinyl, azepinyl, pyrrolyl, 4-piperidonyl, pyrrolidinyl, pyrazolyl, pyrazolidinyl, imidazolyl, pyridyl, pyrazinyl, oxazolidinyl, oxazolinyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, morpholinyl, thiazolidinyl, thiazoliyl, quinuclidinyl, indolyl, quinolinyl, isoquinolinyl, benzimidazolyl, benzopyranyl, benzoxazolyl, furyl, pyranyl, tetrahydrofuryl, tetrahydropyranyl, thienyl, benzoxazolyl, thiamorpholinyl sulfoxide, thiamorpholinyl sulfone, oxadiazolyl, benzothiazolyl, benzoisothiazolyl, benzisoxazolyl, pyrimidinyl, cinnolinyl, quinazolinyl, quinoxalinyl, 1,5-napthyridinyl, 1,6-napthyridinyl, 1,7-napthyridinyl, 1,8-napthyridinyl, tetrazolyl, 1,2,3-triazolyl, and 1,2,4-triazolyl;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2 (Original). A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>1</sup> is

$$\mathbb{R}^4 \nearrow \mathbb{N} \bigvee_{\mathbb{R}^3} \mathbb{Q}$$

3 (Original). A compound according to claim 2 wherein  $R^4$  is  $R^5C(O)$ -,  $R^5SO_2$ -,  $R^5OC(O)$ -.

4 (Original). A compound according to claim 3 wherein  $\mathbb{R}^5$  in said  $\mathbb{R}^1$  group is Ar-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl or Het-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl.

5 (Original). A compound according to claim 4 wherein  $R^5$  in said  $R^1$  group is phenyl or benzyl which are unsubstituted or substituted by one or two of the group consisting of Cl, Br, F, CF<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, OH, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkoxy, CN, CONH<sub>2</sub>, NH<sub>2</sub>, or NO<sub>2</sub>, or substituted by methylenedioxy; or

6 (Original). A compound according to claim 2 wherein, in said  $R^1$  group, R' is H or CH3 and  $R^3$  is i-butyl.

7 (Original). A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>1</sup> is

8 (Original). A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>2</sup> is

$$R^7 \longrightarrow R^6 \times Z \longrightarrow R^3$$

9 (Original). A compound according to claim 8 wherein  $\mathbb{R}^7$  is  $\mathbb{R}^5 OC(O)$ -.

- 10 (Original). A compound according to claim 9 wherein R<sup>5</sup> in said R<sup>7</sup> group is Ar-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl or Het-C<sub>0-6</sub>alkyl.
- 11 (Original). A compound according to claim 10 wherein R<sup>5</sup> in said R<sup>7</sup> group is phenyl or benzyl which are unsubstituted or substituted by one or two of the group consisting of Cl, Br, F, CF<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, OH, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkoxy, CN, CONH<sub>2</sub>, NH<sub>2</sub>, or NO<sub>2</sub>, or substituted by methylenedioxy; or 2-, 3-, or 4-pyridyl-CH<sub>2</sub>-.

## Claim 12 (Cancelled).

13 (Original). A compound according to claim 8 wherein, in said  $R^2$  group,  $R^6$  is H or CH<sub>3</sub> and  $R^3$  is i-butyl.

## Claim 14 (Cancelled).

- 15 (Original). A compound according to claim 1 wherein A is C(O).
- 16 (Original). A compound according to claim 1 which is:
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(phenoxybenzamide)]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(biphenylethanoyl)]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(biphenylethanoyl)]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxyoxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxyoxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinonone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-(aminomethyl)pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$

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4-[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
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 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(N-tert-butoxycarbonyl)ethanoyl]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(ethanoyl)aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N<sup>a</sup>-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)amino]ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinonol;$ 

 $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl) amino]ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinonone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-3-tert-butoxy-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]propanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]propanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]propanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[cyclohexanepropanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[cyclohexanepropanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4\hbox{-}[[N^\alpha\hbox{-}(benzyloxycarbonyl)\hbox{-}L\hbox{-}leucinyl]amino]\hbox{-}1\hbox{-}[(2S)\hbox{-}4\hbox{-}methyl\hbox{-}2\hbox{-}[[(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]\hbox{-}3-pyrrolidinone;}$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N<sup>a</sup>-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(biphenyl)ethanoyl]- 3-piperidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(biphenyl)ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-piperidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-[2-[(tert-butoxycarbonyl) amino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(amino)ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentanoyl)-3-piperidinol;$
- $\mbox{4-[[N$^{\alpha}$-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentanoyl)-3-piperidinone;}$
- (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N<sup> $\alpha$ </sup>-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzoyl)-3-piperidinol;
  - 4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-(benzoyl)-3-piperidinone; (3RS,4RS)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-(acetyl)-3-
- piperidinol;
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-(acetyl)-3-piperidinone;
- (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N<sup>a</sup>-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridoxyacetyl)-3-piperidinol;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridoxyacetyl)-3-piperidinone;$

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- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)methylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl) methylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)methylamino]ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl) methylamino]ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(phenoxy)ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(phenoxy)ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2-phenyl)ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2-phenyl)ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-ethanoyl-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-ethanoyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-cyanobenzoyl)-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-cyanobenzoyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}idinylmethoxycarbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[1-(adamantyl)carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[1-(adamantyl)carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methyl-pentanoyl)-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methyl-pentanoyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-D-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;

 $\begin{tabular}{l} 4-[[N^\alpha-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-D-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone; \end{tabular}$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-N^{\epsilon}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-lysine]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-N^{\epsilon}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-lysine]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-piperidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-(4-methylpentanoyl)-3-piperidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentanoyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N-2-(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;

4-[[N-2-(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(methanesulphonyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(methanesulphonyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(phenylsulphonyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(phenylsulphonyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridylsulphonyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridylsulphonyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2-propoxy)carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2-propoxy)carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(3-methy-1-propoxy)carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $\begin{tabular}{l} 4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-1-[(3-methyl-1-propoxy)carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone; \end{tabular}$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-phenoxy)phenylsulphonyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-phenoxy)phenyl sulphonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-phenoxy) phenylsulphonyl]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-phenoxy)phenyl sulphonyl]-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4-[(2-dibenzofuransulphonyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

4-[(2-dibenzofuransulphonyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-4-[(2-dibenzofuransulphonyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]methylamino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

4-[(2-dibenzofuransulphonyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]methylamino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-chlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-\text{chlorobenzoyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinecarconyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(acetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(acetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(p-trifluoromethylbenzenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(p-trifluoromethylbenzenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[2-(RS)-(3-biphenyl)-4-methyl]amino]pentanoyl]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinol;

4-[[2-(RS)-[(3-biphenyl)-4-methyl]amino]pentanoyl]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)methylamino]ethyl]-3-piperidinol;$ 

4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$ 

[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)methylamino]ethyl]-3-piperidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl) phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $4\hbox{-}[[N^\alpha\hbox{-}(2\hbox{-naphthylcarbonyl})\hbox{-}L\hbox{-leucinyl}] amino]\hbox{-}1\hbox{-}[3\hbox{-}(2\hbox{-pyridyl}) \\ phenylacetyl)]\hbox{-}3\hbox{-piperidinone};$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzensulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzensulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$ 

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(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-
  [3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;
                                  4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)]
  phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;
                                 (3RS,4RS)-4-[3-[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
  [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;
                                  4-[3-[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
  [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;
                                 (3RS,4RS)-4-[3-[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]amino[[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl]]amino[[(2-pyridyl)pheny
 pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;
                                 4-[3-[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[2-
 (pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;
                                 (3RS,4RS)-4-[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                                 4-[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                                 4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxyoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                                 4-[(L-leucinyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]
 amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                                (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-
 methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                                4-[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                                (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-
2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                                4-[[N^{\alpha}-(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                                (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                                4-[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                               (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-1-[(2S)-4-meth
2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                                4-[[N<sup>α</sup>-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                               (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-nitro-a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-
4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                               4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-nitro-a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl
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[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

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(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-
  methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                    4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                   (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-
 [(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                   4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                   (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-
 [(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;
                   4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                   (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinol;
                   4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                   (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-
 [(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinol;
                    4\hbox{-}[[N^\alpha\hbox{-}(4\hbox{-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl})\hbox{-}L\hbox{-leucinyl}] amino]\hbox{-}1\hbox{-}[(2S)\hbox{-}4\hbox{-methyl-}] 
 2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                   (3RS,4RS)-4-[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyllamino]-1-
 [(2R)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinol;
                   4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-
2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                  (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-methyl-2-m
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinol;
                  4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                  2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinol;
                  4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                  (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-
2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinol;
                  4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]amino[(2S)-4-methyl-2-imidazoleacetyl]ami
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                  (3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-
methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinol;
                  4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                  4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-
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U.S. Serial No. 09/836,586 Group Art Unit: Unknown piperidinone;  $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$ (benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinol;  $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3$ piperidinone;  $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$ (benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinol;  $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-\text{pyridinylacetyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3piperidinone;  $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$ (benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinol;  $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3$ piperidinone;  $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$ (benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinol;  $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3$ piperidinone; (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3$ pyrrolidinol; 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(3-isoquinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyllamino]-3pyrrolidinone; (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L$ -leucinyl]amino]-3pyrrolidinol; 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-\text{dichlorobenzoyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone; (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthy|carbonyl)-L-leuciny]]$ aminomethyl 3-pyrrolidinol; 1-benzyl-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-3pyrrolidinone; (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ aminomethyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-3pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3$ pyrrolidinol;

1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinoliny|carbony|)]$ -L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone; (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyllamino]-3pyrrolidinol;

1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone; (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3$ pyrrolidinol;

1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

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- (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N<sup> $\alpha$ </sup>-(6-hydroxy-2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;
- 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(6-hydroxy-2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N<sup>a</sup>-(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $\lceil N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzyloxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$
- [(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$
- [(2S)-4-methyl-2-(amino)pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-methylpropoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$
- $[(2S)\hbox{-}4-methyl\hbox{-}2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]\hbox{-}3-pyrrolidinol;}$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-methylpropoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(methylamino)thiocarbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(methylamino)thiocarbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylmethylamino)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylmethylamino)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N<sup> $\alpha$ </sup>-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;

1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N<sup> $\alpha$ </sup>-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(p-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(1,2,3,4-\text{tetrahydro-6-quinoline} \text{carbonyl})-\text{L-leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(p-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(acetyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(1,2,3,4-\text{tetrahydro-6-quinoline} \text{carbonyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(acetyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(acetyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(acetyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(p-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{4-[[N$^{\alpha}$-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(p-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;}$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(methanesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(methanesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(a-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(a-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)\text{-}1\text{-}(2\text{-phenethyl})\text{-}4\text{-}[[N^{\alpha}\text{-}(4\text{-fluorobenzoyl})\text{-}L\text{-leucinyl}]amino}]\text{-}3\text{-}pyrrolidinol};$ 

1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$  amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;

l-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

- $(3RS,4RS)-1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- 1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- (3RS,4RS)-1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[N $^{\alpha}$ -( $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;
- 1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -( $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $(3RS,4RS)-1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-nitro-\alpha-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]- 3-pyrrolidinol;$
- 1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[N<sup>α</sup>-(2-nitro-α-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(p-toluenesulphonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(p-toluenesulphonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-imidazoleacetyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-imidazoleacetyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- (3RS,4RS)-4-[(4-phenoxybenzoyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinolycarbonyl)-Lleucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;
- 1-(3-nitrobenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $(3RS,4RS)-1-(2-nitrobenzyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- $1-(2-nitrobenzyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $(3RS,4RS)-1-(4-cyanobenzyl)-4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$
- 1-(4-cyanobenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- (3RS,4RS)-1-(4-bromobenzyl)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4$ -pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;
- $\label{eq:continuity} 1\mbox{-}(4\mbox{-bromobenzyl})\mbox{-}4\mbox{-}[[N^{\alpha}\mbox{-}(4\mbox{-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl})\mbox{-}L\mbox{-leucinyl}] amino]\mbox{-}3\mbox{-pyrrolidinone};$

(3RS,4RS)-1-phenethyl-4-[[N<sup> $\alpha$ </sup>-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;

l-phenethyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

1-(3-aminobenzyl)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-1-(3-benzyloxybenzyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

1-(3-benzyloxybenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-1-(3-hydroxybenzyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol$ 

 $1-(3-hydroxybenzyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-1-ethyl-4-[[N<sup> $\alpha$ </sup>-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;

1-ethyl-4-[[N $^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-1-cyclopropylmethyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

l-cyclopropylmethyl-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-1-(2-N,N-dimethylaminoethyl)-4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $1-(2-N,N-dimethylaminoethyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-1-(2-morpholinoethyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinonol;$ 

1-(2-morpholinoethyl)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-1-(2-bromobenzyl)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2$ -pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinonol;

1-(2-bromobenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-3-pyrrolidinonone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyrdinylmethoxy)carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyrdinylmethoxy)carbonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyrdinylmethoxy)carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

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4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyrdinylmethoxy)carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
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 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(2-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(2-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(3-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(3-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-<math>[(2S)$ -4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-nitro-a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;

1-benzyl-4-[[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-nitro- $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N $^{\alpha}$ -(phenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;

1-benzyl-4-[[N $^{\alpha}$ -(phenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone; (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N $^{\alpha}$ -(a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;

 $1-benzyl-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;\\ (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $1-benzyl-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone \\ (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $1-benzyl-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-piperidinone \\ (3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $\begin{array}{l} \hbox{1-benzyl-4-[[N^\alpha-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-piperidinone;} \\ \hbox{(3RS,4RS)-1-benzyl-4-[[N^\alpha-(2-naphthylsulphonyl]amino]-3-piperidinol;} \\ \hbox{1-benzyl-4-[[N^\alpha-(2-naphthylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-piperidinone;} \\ \hbox{(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^\alpha-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-} \end{array}$ 

[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

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4-[[Nα-(benzyloxycalloxycalloxycarbonyl)]ami
(3RS,4RS)-4-[(2S)-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]ami
3-pyrrolidinol;
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4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
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(3RS,4RS)-4-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)amino]pentyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

4-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)amino]pentyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$ 

[2-[( $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)amino]ethyl]-3-pyrrolidinol; 4-[[ $\mathbb{N}^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-

[2-[(α-toluenesulphonyl)amino]ethyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N $^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinol;

4-[[Nα-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N $^{\alpha}$ -(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinol;

4-[[Nα-(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl) amino]ethyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]ethyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-$ 

methyl-2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-carboxybenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 

1-benzyl-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-carboxybenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)\text{-}1\text{-}benzyl\text{-}4\text{-}[[N^{\alpha}\text{-}(4\text{-}carboxymethyl)benzoyl)\text{-}L\text{-}leucinyl]amino]\text{-}3-pyrrolidinol};$ 

1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone; (3RS,4RS)-4-<math>[[N^{\alpha}-(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-$ 

[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]-1-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-1-[(4-carb$ 

methyl-2-[[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)\text{-}1\text{-}phenethyl\text{-}4\text{-}[[N^{\alpha}\text{-}(2\text{-}amino\text{-}\alpha\text{-}toluenesulphonyl)\text{-}L\text{-}leucinyl]amino]\text{-}3\text{-}pyrrolidinol};$ 

1-phenethyl-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-amino- $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinol;$ 

4- $[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinol;$ 

4-[[Nα-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinone;$ 

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[(2S)-4-methyl-2-(benzyl)oxy]pentanoyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinol;

4-[[(2S)-4-methyl-2-(benzyl)oxy]pentanoyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;

(3RS,4RS)-4-[[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;

4-[[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(p-trifluoromethanephenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(p-trifluoromethanephenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $4\hbox{-}[[N^\alpha\hbox{-}(2\hbox{-naphthylsulphonyl})\hbox{-}L\hbox{-leucinyl}] amino]\hbox{-}1\hbox{-}[3\hbox{-}(2\hbox{-pyridyl})phenylacetyl})]\hbox{-}3\hbox{-}piperidinone;}$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorophenylsulphonyl)-$ 

L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorophenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(methanesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol;$ 

 $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{4-[[N$^{\alpha}$-(methanesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;}$ 

 $(3RS,4RS)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorophenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl] amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinol; or$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorophenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$ 

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

17 (Original). A compound according to claim 1 which is:

- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(phenoxybenzamide)]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(biphenylethanoyl)]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxyoxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinonone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-(aminomethyl)pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(N-tert-butoxycarbonyl)ethanoyl]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(ethanoyl)aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl) amino]ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinonone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]propanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[cyclohexanepropanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $\label{eq:continuous} 4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$

- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[4-(biphenyl)ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(amino)ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentanoyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzoyl)-3-piperidinone;$
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(acetyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridoxyacetyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)methylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl) phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl) methylamino]ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(phenoxy)ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2-phenyl)ethanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbony)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-ethanoyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-cyanobenzoyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$

- $4-[[N^{\alpha}idinylmethoxycarbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[1-(adamantyl) carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methyl-pentanoyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-D-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-but oxy carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxy carbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-N^{\epsilon}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-lysine]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentanoyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- 4-[[N-2-(benzyloxycarbonyl)]iso-butylamino]ethanoyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(methanesulphonyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $\mbox{4-[[N$^{\alpha}$-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(phenylsulphonyl)-3-piperidinone;}$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(2-pyridylsulphonyl)-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2-propoxy) carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(3-methyl-1-propoxy)carbonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-phenoxy) phenylsulphonyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$

- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(4-phenoxy) phenylsulphonyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- 4-[(2-dibenzofuransulphonyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 4-[(2-dibenzofuransulphonyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]methylamino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-\text{chlorobenzoyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$ 
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(acetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(p-trifluoromethylbenzenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- 4-[[2-(RS)-[(3-biphenyl)-4-methyl]amino]pentanoyl]-1-(4-methylpentyl)-3-piperidinone;
- $\label{eq:continuous} 4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)methylamino]ethyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl) phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl) phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzensulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$

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                             4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolinecarbonyl]amino[3-isoquinolineca
 pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;
                             4-[3-[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;
                             4-[3-[(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[2-
(pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-piperidinone;
                             4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
 [[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                             4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxyoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[(L-leucinyl)amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]
amino|pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[N^{\alpha}-(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[N^{\alpha}-(4-\text{fluorobenzoyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-pyridylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-nitro-a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-invariant expression of the second expressi
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
                            4-[N^{\alpha}-(phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-
[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                            4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-
2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
                           4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-1-[(2R)-4-methy
2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;
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 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-$ 

 $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-$ 

 $4-[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-$ 

[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;

[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;

[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;

- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(8-quinolinesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-3-piperidinone;$
- 1-benzyl-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(3-isoquinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(3,4-dichlorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ aminomethyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ aminomethyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(6-hydroxy-2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(6-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-imidazoleacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzyloxycarbonyl-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2R)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(tert-butoxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-(amino)pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-methylpropoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(methylamino)thiocarbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$

- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylmethylamino)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- 1-benzyl-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(3,4-dichlorophenylamino)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(1,2,3,4-\text{tetrahydro-}6-\text{quinolinecarbonyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(p-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-6-quinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(acetyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[[N^{\alpha}-(4-\text{fluorobenzoyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-\text{methyl}-2-[(acetyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(p-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(methanesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(a-toluenesulphonyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- 1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- l-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -( $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(2-phenethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-nitro- $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-pyridinylcarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(p-toluenesulphonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-phenylacetyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-imidazoleacetyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- 1-(3-nitrobenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $1-(2-nitrobenzyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $1-(4-cyanobenzyl)-4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$

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- 1-(4-bromobenzyl)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- l-phenethyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(3-aminobenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(3-benzyloxybenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(3-hydroxybenzyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-ethyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-cyclopropylmethyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(2-N,N-dimethylaminoethyl)-4-[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(2-morpholinoethyl)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-(2-bromobenzyl)-4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinonone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyrdinylmethoxy)carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyrdinylmethoxy)carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(2-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(3-pyridinylmethoxy)carbonyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-pyridinylmethoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- 1-benzyl-4-[[[ $N^{\alpha}$ -(2-nitro- $\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(phenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(a-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyllamino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-naphthylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-piperidinone
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(2-quinolinylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyllamino]-3-piperidinone;
  - 1-benzyl-4-[[Nα-(2-naphthylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-piperidinone;

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- 4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(benzyloxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]aminomethyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]aminomethyl]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone; 4-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]-3-pyrrolidinone; 4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2- $[(\alpha$ -toluenesulphonyl)amino]ethyl]-3-pyrrolidinone; 4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinone; 4- $[[N^{\alpha}$ -(piperonylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $\label{eq:continuous} 4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]ethyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 
  - 4-[[Nα-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-\text{fluorobenzoyl})-\text{L-leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-carboxybenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 
  - 1-benzyl-4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(4-carboxybenzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;
- 1-benzyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-[(4-carboxymethyl)benzoyl]-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(4-fluorobenzoyl)amino]pentyl]-3-pyrrolidinone;$
- 1-phenethyl-4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-amino-\alpha-toluenesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-3-pyrrolidinone;$ 
  - $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylcarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinone;$
  - $4-[N^{\alpha}-(2-quinoline carbonyl)-L-leucinyl]$ amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinone;
- 4- $[N^{\alpha}$ -(3-isoquinolinecarbonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-benzoyl-3-piperidinone;
- 4-[[(2S)-4-methyl-2-(benzyl)oxy]pentanoyl]-1-[(2S)-4-methyl-2-[[(benzyloxycarbonyl)]amino]pentanoyl]- 3-piperidinone;
- 4-[[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(p-trifluoromethanephenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$
- 4- $[[N^{\alpha}-(2-naphthylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(3,4-\text{dichlorophenylsulphonyl})-L-\text{leucinyl}]$ amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(methanesulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone; or$
- $4-[[N^{\alpha}-(4-fluorophenylsulphonyl)-L-leucinyl]amino]-1-[3-(2-pyridyl)phenylacetyl)]-3-piperidinone;$

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

- 18 (Previously presented). A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound according to any one of claims 1 to 17 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 19 (Original). A method of inhibiting a cysteine protease which comprises administering a compound according to claim 1.
- 20 (Original). A method according to claim 19 wherein the cysteine protease is cathepsin K.
- 21 (Original). A method of inhibiting bone loss which comprises administering a compound according to claim 1.
- 22 (Original). A method of treating osteoporosis which comprises administering a compound according to claim 1.
- 23 (Original). A method of treating gingival or periodontal disease which comprises administering a compound according to claim 1.
- 24 (Original). A method of treating a disease characterized by excessive cartilage or matrix degradation which comprises administering a compound according to claim 1.
- 25 (Original). A method according to claim 24 wherein said disease is osteoarthritis or rheumatoid arthritis.

Claims 26-33 (Cancelled).

- 34 (Currently Amended). A process for preparing a compound of the formula (I) as defined in claim 1, which process comprises:
  - (A) for compounds in which A is CH(OH):
    - (i) reacting a compound of the formula (III):

or a salt thereof,

wherein R<sup>1</sup>, R", R"' and n are as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, with any reactive functional groups protected, with:

(a)  $R^5C(O)Cl$ , in which  $R^5$  is as defined in formula (I) of claim 1; or

(b)  $R^5C(O)OH$ , in which  $R^5$  is as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, in the presence of EDC and HOBT; or

(c)  $R^5C(O)H$ , in which  $R^5$  is as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, followed by reduction; or

(d)  $R^5OC(O)Cl$ , in which  $R^5$  is as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, in the presence of base; or

(e)  $R^5SO_2Cl$ , in which  $R^5$  is as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, in the presence of base; or

$$R^7$$
  $R^6$   $CI$   $R^3$  wherein  $R^3$ ,  $R^6$  and  $R^7$  are as

defined in formula (I) of claim 1; or

(f)

- (g) adamantyl-C(O)Cl;
- (ii) reacting a compound of the formula (IV):

$$H$$
 $N$ 
 $H$ 
 $OH$ 
 $R^{"}$ 
 $R^2$ 
 $(IV)$ 

wherein R<sup>2</sup>, R''' and n are as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, with any reactive functional groups protected, with:

(a) 
$$R^4$$
 OH

(b)  $R^3$  , in which  $R^3$ ,  $R^4$  and  $R'$  are as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, in the presence of EDC and HOBT; or

(I) of claim 1, in the presence of EDC and HOBT; or

(b)

(c)

defined in formula (I) of claim 1, in the presence of EDC and HOBT; or

(iii) reacting a compound of the formula (V):

wherein R" and n are as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, with any reactive functional groups protected, and R<sup>a</sup> is  $C_{1-6}$ alkyl,  $C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl, Ar- $C_{0-6}$ alkyl with:

$$R^4$$
 $R^4$ 
 $R^3$ 
OH

, in which  $R^3$ ,  $R^4$  and  $R^4$  are as im 1. in the presence of EDC and HODT: an

defined in formula (I) of claim 1, in the presence of EDC and HOBT; or

(a)

Ar 
$$OH$$
 , in which  $R^*$  is as defined in formula

(I) of claim 1, in the presence of EDC and HOBT; or

(b)

defined in formula (I) of claim 1, in the presence of EDC and HOBT; or

- (B) for compounds in which A is C(O):
  - (i) reacting a compound of the formula (VI):

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
R^{1} & R^{"} \\
\hline
 & N \\
 & N \\
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 & N \\
 & N \\
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 & N \\
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 & N \\
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 & N \\
 & N \\
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 & N \\
 & N \\
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 & N \\
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wherein  $R^1$ ,  $R^2$ ,  $R^{"}$ ,  $R^{"'}$  and n are as defined in formula (I) of claim 1, with any reactive functional groups protected, with an oxidizing agent;

and thereafter removing any protecting groups and optionally forming a pharmaceutically acceptable salt.